

hundred and twenty-three, the terms of those four who were elected for a period of two years, or to fill a vacancy in an unexpired term of two years, shall be and they are hereby extended to the first Monday in July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four; the terms of those four who were elected for a period of three years, or fill a vacancy in an unexpired term of three years, shall be and they are hereby extended to the first Monday in July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and the term of those four who were elected for a period of four years or to fill a vacancy in an unexpired term of four years, shall be and they are hereby extended to the first Monday in July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

Election and term
of successors.

At the first Monday in July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and annually thereafter, the board of aldermen of Elizabeth City shall elect two qualified voters of the Elizabeth City Graded Schools District to serve as members of said board of trustees for a term of four years or until their successors are elected and qualified, it being the intent hereof that the membership of said board shall be gradually reduced from sixteen to eight members: *Provided*, that no member of said board of aldermen shall be elected a member of said board of school trustees. If a vacancy occurs by death, resignation or otherwise the said board of aldermen shall fill such vacancy for the unexpired term: *Provided*, that the position of school trustee shall not constitute an office within the meaning of article seven, section fourteen of the Constitution of North Carolina.

Proviso; alder-
man ineligible.

Proviso; trustees
not officers.

Eligibility of
teachers.

SEC. 4. That section four of chapter seventy-six, Private Laws of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Repealing clause.

SEC. 5. That all laws and clauses of laws inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect on and be in full force and effect after its ratification.

Ratified this the 17th day of February, A.D. 1923.

CHAPTER 57

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE SOUTH SKEENAH SCHOOLHOUSE IN FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP IN MACON COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Incorporation.
Territory.

SECTION 1. That the South Skeenah Schoolhouse in Franklin Township in Macon County be and the same is hereby incorporated two miles in every direction from said schoolhouse.

Acts declared
unlawful.

SEC. 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person to be found drunk, intoxicated or with liquor in his possession in any quantity within a radius of two miles from said schoolhouse.